

## Message Text

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ACTION AF-10

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LAGOS FOR WACASC

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: AFSP AMGT CG US  
SUBJ: OVERFLIGHT/LANDING CLEARANCE FOR WACASC FLIGHTS TO BRAZZAVILLE

REF: A. KINSHASA 8221 (NOTAL), B. STATE 207414

1. POLOFF MET AUG 31 WITH CONGOLESE MINFONAFF CABINET DIRECTOR IKOUEBI TO RAISE POINTS AND PRESENT AIDE MEMOIRE RE OVERFLIGHT/LANDING CLEARANCE FOR WACASC FLIGHTS TO BRAZZAVILLE (REF A).
2. IKOUEBI FORESAW NO PROBLEMS WITH GRANTING CLEARANCES AND PROMISED TO GIVE WRITTEN REPLY TO REQUEST THROUGH FRG AMB, BRAZZAVILLE. INFORMALLY HE MADE FOLLOWING POINTS:
  - A. REQUEST FOR CLEARANCE SHOULD BE MADE BY NOTE VERBALE TO MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS;
  - B. MFA WOULD PREFER REQUEST ONE WEEK IN ADVANCE BUT FOR EMERGENCIES COULD ACT WITHIN 24 HOURS;
  - C. GOVERNMENT WOULD EXPEDITE CUSTOMS CLEARANCE FOR ITEMS ON WACASC FLIGHTS;
  - D. WACASC WOULD BE ABLE TO REFUEL AT BRAZZAVILLE.

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3. AS IN PREVIOUS MEETING, IKOUEBI MOST COOPERATIVE. EMBASSY HAS FOUND THAT CONGOLESE PREFER THAT ORAL REQUESTS BE ACCOMPANIED BY APPROPRIATE WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS.  
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